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In re the Application of **Argenta, et al.**

Application No. **10/647,068**

Attorney Docket No. **0101 P02977US1**

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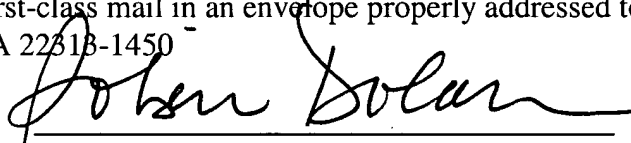
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Group Art Unit: **3732**

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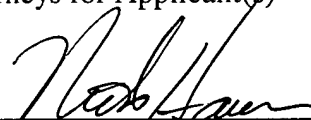
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Respectfully submitted,

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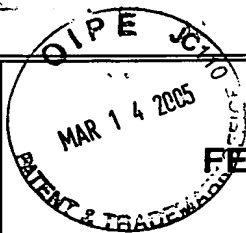
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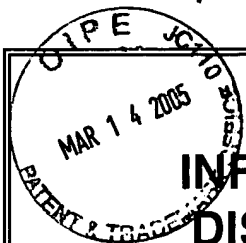
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